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**Trees and Plants . . . . .**  
 Fruit, Ornamental and Semi-Tropical.  
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We offer a complete stock for the Orchard, Vineyard and Garden.  
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 Order on Short Notice.

HAVING RECENTLY ADDED ENTIRELY NEW  
 machinery to our establishment, we are  
 prepared to manufacture all kinds of Tinware to Order,  
 and at a place to be hereafter fixed therein  
 by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma,  
 until the whole amount of said  
 indebtedness be paid.

For the said acquisition, construction  
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## LEGAL.

### Ordinance No. 58.

An Ordinance authorizing the publication of notice of a special election by the voters of the City of Sonoma, upon a proposition to incur a municipal debt aggregating Eighteen Thousand Dollars, for the object and purpose of acquiring, constructing and completing a permanent system of municipal water works by the City of Sonoma, for the use of said city and its inhabitants.

Whereas, The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma did on the 16th day of March, 1898, pass a certain Ordinance, No. 56, calling a special election in and for the City of Sonoma, to be held in said city on the 26th day of April, 1898, at which election there should be submitted to the qualified voters of Sonoma a proposition for incurring an indebtedness by said city aggregating Eighteen Thousand Dollars, for the following object and purpose, to-wit: Of acquiring, constructing and completing a permanent system of municipal water works by said city for the use of said city and its inhabitants, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same and connected with the use thereof; and

Whereas, The said Ordinance, No. 56, was, after the approval thereof by the Executive of said city, to-wit: The President of the Board of Trustees, in accordance with the order of direction of the Board of Trustees, published once a week for two successive weeks in THE SONOMA INDEX-Tribune, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sonoma, and on the following dates, to-wit: March 19th, 1898; March 26th, 1898; and April 2nd, 1898. Now, therefore,

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do hereby ordain as follows:  
 Section 1. That the following notice of said special election called by said Ordinance No. 56, as aforesaid, be held in said City of Sonoma, on the 26th day of April, 1898, is now after the completion of the publication of said Ordinance, No. 56, as aforesaid, hereby ordered and directed to be published by the City Clerk, and shall be published for two weeks prior to said day of election in THE SONOMA INDEX-Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City of Sonoma, as follows to-wit:

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

To the qualified voters of the City of Sonoma.  
 Notice is hereby given that a special election has been called by the Board of Trustees of said City, by ordinance passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of all of the members of said Board of Trustees, and approved by the President of said Board of Trustees, and published once a week for two successive weeks in THE SONOMA INDEX-Tribune, a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City, duly and regularly called, and will be held in said City of Sonoma, on the

26th Day of April, 1898,

at which special election shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said City of Sonoma, the proposition of incurring an indebtedness in the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion by said City of Sonoma of said permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same and connected with the use thereof; and to do and perform all acts and things whatsoever necessary for the construction and completion of public waterworks for the said city and its inhabitants, and for the construction and completion of said waterworks, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with a sufficient quantity of pure, fresh water for domestic use and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes.

If the proposition of incurring a municipal indebtedness for the purposes above set forth be accepted by the qualified electors of said City, by a vote of two-thirds of all the voters voting at such special election, bonds of the City of Sonoma, for said municipal improvements will be issued for the cost of said improvements. Said bonds shall be of the character known as "Serials," and shall be payable in United States Gold Coin, and in the manner following:

One-fourth part of the whole indebtedness for the purposes aforesaid, for which the qualified voters of said city shall accept the proposition to incur an indebtedness, together with the annual interest thereon at the rate of six (6) per cent annum, payable semi-annually on all unpaid portions of said indebtedness, shall be payable each and every year on a day and at a place to be hereafter fixed therein by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, until the whole amount of said indebtedness be paid.  
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## LEGAL.

word "Yes" with a blank square to the right thereof, and immediately below the same there shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," or the right of which there shall be printed in one square the word "No," with a blank square to the right thereof. Every voter desiring to assent to, and accept the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness set forth herein shall in voting as said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "Yes" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid. And every voter desiring to reject the said proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "No" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid, such marking or stamping shall only be done with a stamp, which with the necessary seal and ink will be provided for each booth for the purpose, by the Clerk of the City of Sonoma.

Section 2. The City Clerk shall provide for said election in said City not less than one hundred municipal tickets for every fifty or fraction of fifty voters registered in said City, and shall also cause to be printed on plain white paper, without water mark or endorsement except that the words "Sample Ballot," at least as many copies of the form of ballots provided for use in said election as there shall be registered voters in said City. Such copy shall be designated "Sample Ballot" and shall be furnished to resident voters by said Clerk enclosing said sample separately in envelopes, and mailing the same as printed matter, through the United States postoffice, for delivery to each of said voters. The mailing of all of said envelopes containing said sample ballots, as aforesaid, shall commence at least ten days before the time fixed for said election, and continue so that all of said envelopes containing said sample ballots shall have been mailed at least three whole days before said election. Not more than one of said sample ballots to be furnished to any one voter.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication. Passed on this 6th day of April, 1898, by the following vote:  
 Trustee Seipp, voting aye.  
 Trustee Medini, voting aye.  
 Trustee Hartin, voting aye.  
 Trustee Bulotti, voting aye.  
 Trustee Poppe, voting no.  
 Approved this 6th day of April, 1898.  
 President Board of City Trustees of Sonoma City.  
 Attest: ROBERT A. POPPE, City Clerk.

## HOTELS.

**Union Hotel,**  
 NAPA ST., SONOMA.

First-Class Resort for Commercial Travelers and Families.

MRS. E. JONES, PROP.

**UNION HALL.**

Attached to the Hotel is the largest public hall in Sonoma, fitted up with stage scenery, which can be rented on reasonable terms.

**Sonoma House.**  
 Sonoma, Cal.

This well-known House has just been re-opened and will be conducted in a First-Class Style.

THE BAR will be supplied with the very best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

MRS. E. GLYNN.

**City Hotel.**

WEST SIDE OF PLAZA, SONOMA.

Having remodeled, renovated and newly furnished the above Hotel the undersigned will conduct the same as a first-class resort. THE TABLE will always be supplied with the best the market affords.

**Finest Sonoma Valley Wines**  
 5c per Glass.

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**THE CAMPI RESTAURANT.**

HENRY JURY, PROPRIETOR

First-Class Meals at all Hours.

Choice Wine, Liquors and Cigars  
 519 THIRD STREET,  
 SANTA ROSA.

## A Generous Duchess.

It is generally agreed that the dominant note of the character of the late Duchess of Teck was her amiability, but that term does inadequate justice to the heart from which it sprang. She was charity itself and a wonderful organizer of charitable relief on a large scale.  
 It is said that she gave out of her own pocket a good fifth of the annual amount granted to her by parliament, and a story, vouched for by the Duke of Devonshire, shows that she knew how to give on a small scale, to be generous in mind as well as with money.  
 There were to be some festivities at White Lodge, the Richmond residence of the duchess, and an invitation was sent to the secretary of a charity in which the duchess was interested. By a later post the young lady received a letter from a friend, asking her to a tea-party which was to be held the same day.  
 Next morning both invitations were acknowledged, but the replies were carelessly put in the wrong envelopes. The duchess opened the letter in which the writer declared to her friend that she was very sorry she could not come to tennis because "Stout Mary" had asked her to White Lodge, and she was bound to go.  
 The day duly arrived, and the frank young lady was warmly welcomed by the duchess, who afterward took her aside and laughingly said:  
 "My dear girl, I know I am stout, but I cannot help it. You should be more careful in posting your letters and never forget that you do not know who will read what you write. Don't apologize. I have forgiven you."

**The Cranky Passenger.**  
 There is no doubt that he was a very impatient conductor, but some way there was no one in the car who did not have a sneaking feeling of sympathy for him. It was on one of the surface cars and the woman was one of those passengers who feel that the cars are run for their own individual convenience and are hardly willing to submit to the imposition of a fare for the privilege. This woman had been what the conductor called "mean" from the time she entered the car. She wasn't suited with her change, she wouldn't have the door shut, and she wouldn't have the window shut. The other passengers would have been indignant if they had not been closed to have something to break the monotony of the ride. But the climax came when the dissatisfied passenger started to leave the car. The platform was crowded with men. The dissatisfied passenger turned to the gate side of the platform. "The other side, madam," said the conductor politely, but madam persisted. "The other side, madam," reiterated the conductor. "I intend," said the lady in rigid tones, "to get off on this side." "All right, madam," (there was a note of despairing resignation in his voice, for the car had been waiting some seconds). "Gentlemen, will you please step aside and let the lady jump the fence?"—New York Times.

**Paralyzed the Geese.**  
 During the war we were not permitted to carry guns, but the boys used to hide their weapons and slip out unobserved and indulge in a few hours' hunting. I saw a young fellow start out one day and when he returned, not more than two hours later, he had 21 wild geese. I recollect one instance during that period when we were not allowed to carry guns when the geese became so numerous and bold as to raise a crop. I intend to do for us to raise a crop. I had a field of wheat, which they were picking up before the grains had time to germinate. I took an ounce of strychnine, dissolved it in acetic acid water, soaked corn in it and scattered the corn over the wheatfield. The next morning I gathered up a wagon load of dead and paralyzed wild geese, some 40 or 50 of them, in the wheatfield. Eight or ten of them recovered and became domesticated.—Kansas City Times.

**Meanness Personified.**  
 "Man Sandy," said a Perthshire farmer, "Jock Macpherson's an awful mean chap."  
 "Hoos, toots, man!" said his friend.  
 "Ye're hawerin'! Hoo d'ye mak' that out?"  
 "Weel, I'm jist sayin' he's mean—beastly mean. I was up at his house the other night, and he said, 'Peter, will ye hae a hauf o' wheuky?' and I said, 'Aye, of coorse!' Weel, he got his bottle out and began to pour me out a glass, and, thinkin' to be sort o' polite, ye ken, I said, 'Stop, stop!' And he stopped!"—London Telegraph.

**A Counterstroke.**  
 "We're ruined!" exclaimed the editor, "utterly ruined!"  
 "Why, what's the matter now?"  
 "We advertised sheet music as a premium to subscribers, didn't we?"  
 "We did."  
 "Well, our miserable contemporary over the way is giving away pianos to play it on."—Atlanta Constitution.

**Very Close Indeed.**  
 "This gentleman," said the phrenologist at the open air performance, "is a close observer—very close observer."  
 "So much so," continued the phrenologist, "that I doubt exceedingly if he would have been here tonight had we charged any admission fee."—New York Journal.

The four principal diamond mines of the Kimberly district employ about 8,000 persons. From 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 carats are turned out each year, and up to 1899 ten tons of diamonds, valued at \$20,000,000, had come from these mines.

The Coliseum at Rome was built by Vespasian to accommodate 100,000 spectators. It covers five and one-half acres and was 120 feet high.

## An Inauspicious Epitaph.

"I suppose," said the young woman, "that when a miner makes a big discovery it is to his interest to avoid spreading the news, so as to keep as much as possible for himself."  
 "Some of them try it," answered the reticent gold seeker. "But as a rule it doesn't work. When a man has suddenly reached enormous wealth, he is almost certain to betray the fact in some way."  
 "Have you known of such case on the Klondike?"  
 "Only one. Ordinarily the men don't try to deceive anybody. One chap made a big discovery and tried to keep it quiet, but it wasn't more than a day or two before everybody knew he had struck it rich."  
 "Something in his manner betrayed him?"  
 "No."  
 "He was seen spending more money than usual?"  
 "No. He never spent any money in public. He was a great one for keeping it to himself."  
 "Perhaps he talked in his sleep?"  
 "Wouldn't have been anybody to hear him if he had."  
 "You surely were not mean enough to shadow him?"  
 "Didn't have to. He practically announced that he had suddenly become a millionaire himself. There wasn't any possibility of mistake."  
 "How did he do it?"  
 "Came around one day with the smell of onions on his breath."—Washington Star.

**The Antarctic Region.**  
 It is a curious fact that while enormous sums of money and property of great value have been appropriated and used in exploring the more northerly portions of this globe little or no attention has been given to the extreme southern part. Of late, however, the eyes of explorers have been turned antarticiward, and expeditions are being sent out to determine various debatable questions that have arisen concerning this country. No human foot, as far as known, has ever approached nearer to the south pole than 750 miles. The ice is said to far exceed that found at the north pole, and greater difficulties are apprehended than arctic explorers have ever encountered. Vegetation ceases at about 58 degrees, no man has yet been met with south of 56 degrees, and the country is destitute of land animals south of 68 degrees. Mountains with towering peaks have been discovered, and volcanoes are thought to be numerous. Whether the intense heat of the latter may exert any influence upon the climate in their vicinity is a question of interest to the scientific world.—New York Ledger.

**Handwriting of Dumas.**  
 Both the Dumas' hands were those of busy men, but the elder Dumas could go on forever; he never stopped to punctuate. One of his literary canons was that a clear style punctuates itself. There is a good deal in this. The son never missed a comma, semicolon, colon or full stop. He had not the father's facility, which resembled a tropical vegetation at the end of the rainy season.

The younger Dumas beat his brains terribly and forced them to bring forth plays. Nothing can be more refined than his handwriting. The original manuscripts of his plays are scarcely legible, the corrections and erasures being so numerous. But he did not let the copyist or indeed any stranger see them, but rewrote and added pungent and pregnant sentences as he did so. The most impossible for us to raise a crop. I had a field of wheat, which they were picking up before the grains had time to germinate. I took an ounce of strychnine, dissolved it in acetic acid water, soaked corn in it and scattered the corn over the wheatfield. The next morning I gathered up a wagon load of dead and paralyzed wild geese, some 40 or 50 of them, in the wheatfield. Eight or ten of them recovered and became domesticated.—Kansas City Times.

**Queer Signature to a Check.**  
 "That man forgot to sign his name," remarked a well known insurance agent as he reached the end of a letter from one of his correspondents.  
 "I presume you run across many cases of forgetfulness and abstraction while reading your correspondence?" I suggested as he resumed looking over his mail.  
 "Well, yes, they are more frequent than I wish they were. One of the most singular instances was a case where a man in affixing his signature to a check used a portion of my name and a part of his own. And he was the president of one of our leading colleges too."—Portland (Me.) Argus.

**For Sleeplessness.**  
 The following is recommended as a cure for sleeplessness: "Wet a half towel, apply it to the back of the neck, pressing it upward toward the base of the brain, and fasten the dry half of the towel over so as to prevent the too rapid exhalation. The effect is prompt and charming, cooling the brain and inducing calmer, sweeter sleep than any narcotic. Warm water may be used, though most persons prefer cold. To those who suffer from overexcitement of the brain, whether the result of brain work or smoking, this simple remedy has proved an especial boon."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

**Power in Portrayal.**  
 "Why, man, I've had whole audiences fall to their knees in terror at my description of the day of judgment."  
 The other exhorter smiled pityingly.  
 "Ah, yes!" he replied. "But the other night I portrayed the destruction of the world with such power that a man came up after the services and asked me whom he should see about the kinetoscope rights."—Detroit Journal.

**Economical.**  
 "A good many people," said the philosopher, "are economical after the manner of a man I once knew, who smoked 30 cent cigars and saved the half burned stubs to kindle the fire."—Indianaapolis Journal.

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 Opposite Sonoma Co. Bank.

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BEWARE where you go, for your own sake and your pocket's sake.

## EDELMANN'S NEW DRUG STORE

is the only up-to-date, reliable cut-rate in Petaluma.

EVERYTHING IS CUT TO BED-ROCK WITHOUT SACRIFICING QUALITY.

Remember the name and location,

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DEALER IN

Plows,

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Mowers, Binders, Rakes,

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—AND—

All Kinds of Machinery

At San Francisco Prices delivered in Sonoma.

No Horseshoeing for \$1 at this shop.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers, and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

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SONOMA, APRIL 23, 1898.

M. H. GRANICE - EDITOR

## WAR!

### THE UNITED STATES ON THE EVE OF THE GREATEST NAVAL COMBAT OF MODERN TIMES.

WAR between the United States and Spain is now a dead certainty and within the next forty-eight hours will probably be fought one of the greatest naval combats of modern times. That victory will perch upon the banner of the Stars and Stripes is the prayer of every true American.

A VOTE for the water proposition means a reduction of 25 per cent in insurance rates. If you do not believe this statement ask any local insurance agent in town.

A VOTE for a municipal ownership of water works next Tuesday means an enhancement of property values and a reduced insurance rate to the tax-payers of Sonoma.

It were silly for the working-man to vote otherwise than YES at the water election on Tuesday next. A vote against the proposition means no work, no nothing for him.

In voting at Tuesday's election do not be influenced by those who have a private, selfish motive in endeavoring to down the water proposition. Vote for water and your town and you will be doing your duty as a good citizen.

If the water proposition carries every idle man in town will be given employment during the construction of the works and when they are completed the city will own a valuable piece of income property that will pay at least ten per cent on the investment.

A FARMER residing near Sonoma recently planted out a number of rooted resistant grape vines upside down. He mistook the roots for branches of the vine. He ought to give up ranching and move into Sonoma and vote against the water proposition. There is about as much sense in doing the one as the other.

In casting your vote next Tuesday do not forget the total destruction of the fine Catholic Church a few years ago in broad daylight when the Sonoma Fire Department, owing to lack of water, had its hands practically tied and was compelled to see the beautiful structure, with many costly gifts from the late Mrs. Kate Johnson and Col. Hooper go up in smoke and flame.

It may not be generally known but it is nevertheless a fact that the three educational institutions of Sonoma—the High School, Grammar School and Presentation Convent school—are supplied with water from dug wells which is unhealthy for drinking purposes. Should the water proposition carry every one of these schools stand ready to become patrons of a municipal water system.

THE high standing in this community of Trustees Davis, Duhring, Harris, Seipp and Hartin for honesty and business capacity, all of whom are strong advocates for bonding the town for a municipal water system, ought to be a sufficient guarantee to voters that the bonding proposition is all right. The very fact that they favor the bonds ought to be sufficient in itself that the proposition is a safe and a good one for the town.

Do you want Sonoma to go ahead? If so put your stamp opposite the word YES at the water election next Tuesday.

#### Irrigation.

Fred. D. Spaulding will irrigate his Embarcadero ranch this season from the waters of Sonoma Creek. The ranch is located on the west side of that stream and the water will be raised and deposited into a main ditch with a centrifugal pump and gasoline engine. The machinery is already on the ground and will be set up at once. The Spaulding ranch is considered one of the finest potato and small vegetable farms in the county and immense crops have been grown on the soil, which is a deep sandy loam, in years past without irrigation. This season, with the aid of irrigation ditches, a marvelous crop is anticipated.

The wonder is that the waters of Sonoma Creek, which flows through the center of the valley from Glen Ellen to Embarcadero, have not long since been utilized for irrigating small fruits and vegetables. There is always a plentiful flow of water in that stream the year round and there are many small farms along its banks that could be made to pay immense profits should Mr. Spaulding's irrigation plan be adopted by their owners.

#### COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY J.

Marvin T. Vaughan was appointed administrator, will annexed, on the estate of Sarah J. Buxton, in a bond of \$1000. The will was admitted.

The annual account of C. A. Hoffer, guardian of Mary B. Muller et al., was settled.

A petition to mortgage a real estate in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Laura V. Seavy et al., was granted. The same order was made in the estate of Edward Surryhne.

A petition to sell real estate was ordered in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Charles W. Pitt et al., with a bond of \$700 to each minor.

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered in the matter of the estate of Sarah E. Tuttle. The final account was settled and the whole of the estate was set aside to the minors in the estate of George C. Tuttle.

An order to sell personal property was granted in the estate of John Ullrich.

These probate matters were continued: Estate of Babetta Meyer, to April 25th; estate of Priscilla Wilson, to May 2nd; estate and guardianship of Emily D. Mothorn, to April 25th; estate of George F. Clark, to April 25th.

The demurrer was withdrawn and five days given to answer in the action of the German Savings and Loan Society vs. Frank A. Smith.

The suit of Ida Stearns vs. Frederick Stearns was dropped from the calendar, to be restored on motion of either party at one day's notice.

A divorce was granted T. B. Arlett from George Arlett.

The action of the Santa Rosa National Bank vs. Anna D. Lewis was continued to May 9th.

These matters were continued: W. A. Boscow vs. G. W. Patton and J. Lucas vs. G. W. Patton to April 25th.

The trial of the action to recover personal property of an estate in which Public Administrator Young is plaintiff and N. R. Shaw is defendant, was resumed and the evidence was closed. The matter will be submitted on motion and briefs will be filed.

#### Will of Wm. F. Wade.

The will of the late Wm. F. Wade has been filed for probate in the Superior Court of this county. The estate, which is valued at \$3,100 is bequeathed share and share alike to a niece and nephew of deceased.

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Upon the blood.

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Blood feeds the nerves

And makes them strong.

The great nerve tonic is

Hood's Sarsaparilla,

Because it makes

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Pure, giving it power

To feed the nerves.

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Cures nervousness,

Dyspepsia, rheumatism,

Catarrh, scrofula,

And all forms of

Impure blood.

#### ROBBERY.

##### Warrant Issued for the Arrest of Geo. Hayes.

H. Joost is mourning the loss of a quantity of jewelry, purloined from his home in the western suburbs of town by a former employee. It appears that a young man giving the name of Hayes sought and secured employment from Mr. Joost several months ago. On Wednesday last he quit his job and took the afternoon Donahue train for San Francisco. About six o'clock that evening Mr. Joost discovered that his house had been ransacked and four gold rings, a gold pocket watch and other valuables had been stolen. He suspected Hayes and immediately swore out a warrant for his arrest, after which he telegraphed the Harbor Police, San Francisco, a description of the young man with the request that he be taken into custody. The telegram arrived too late to apprehend Hayes upon the arrival of the Donahue ferryboat in that city and the chances are that the warrant will never be served upon him.

#### Brevities.

Edelmans' Red Seal Cough Cure is the only cure for obstinate coughs and colds. Only at Edelmans', Petaluma.

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#### GLEN ELLEN ITEMS

L. G. F. Atkins, who was confined to his bed several days this week with a severe spell of sickness, is improving.

J. G. Cavanaugh, mail weigher for the Postoffice Department, has been a guest at the Mervyn Hotel the past month.

The following guests are registered at the Mervyn: P. H. Bapstein, John Saner, R. X. Ryan, F. A. Coxhead, L. H. Pockman, L. T. Pockman, Chas. Christensen, Geo. Walker, C. H. Elliott, San Francisco; M. H. Cleaveland, Ukiah; L. B. Walthall, Modesto; F. J. Rigg, Chicago; R. W. Bell, Santa Rosa; W. J. Eardely, Santa Rosa.

#### THE CITY TRUSTEES.

At a meeting of the City Trustees, held last Monday evening, the following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

P. Kell and R. McDonnell, services... \$4.00  
Wm. Green, lumber... 3.75  
R. A. Poppe, drawing up deeds and ordinances... 10.00  
R. A. Poppe, election expenses... 8.50  
Total... \$27.25

The election expenses, aside from that of R. A. Poppe, were laid over as follows: H. H. Granice, \$38; Board of Election Officers, \$48.

Owing to the absence of Clerk Poppe, the electric light ordinance was not read a second time, as the document could not be found.

The election of J. H. Seipp as President of the Board and the appointment of his committees will be found elsewhere in these columns.

#### M. E. Church.

The services of the M. E. Church will be held to-morrow in the lecture room of the edifice. At 11 A. M., the pastor, Rev. O. E. Hole, will preach on "Difficulties of Progress." In the evening, at 7:45 o'clock his subject will be "America and the War—Some Duties and Some Dangers." The new church will be formally opened May 1st. Dr. McClellan, President of the University of the Pacific, will preach the dedicational sermon. Dr. Matthews of San Francisco will also be present and it is hoped that Rev. Frank Robinson of Chicago, an Evangelist soloist, will be here. The new organ given by Mr. and Mrs. Merriam will be put in next week.

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#### LEGAL.

##### NOTICE OF

### Special Election.

To the Qualified Voters of the City of Sonoma.

Notice is hereby given that a special election has been by the Board of Trustees of said City, by ordinance passed by a vote of more than two-thirds of all of the members of said Board of Trustees, and approved by the President of said Board of Trustees, and published once a week for two successive weeks in a weekly newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said City, duly and regularly called, and will be held in said City of Sonoma, on the

26th day of April, 1898,

at which special election shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said City of Sonoma, the proposition of incurring an indebtedness in the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars for the purpose of the acquisition, construction and completion by said City of Sonoma of said permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks and machinery for the same and connected with the use thereof, and to do and perform all acts and things whatsoever necessary for the construction and completion of public waterworks for the said city and its inhabitants, and for the construction and completion of said waterworks, to supply said city and the inhabitants thereof with pure, fresh water for domestic use and for the use of the Fire Department, and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets and other purposes.

If the proposition of incurring a municipal indebtedness for the purposes above set forth be accepted by the qualified voters of said City, by a vote of two-thirds of all the voters voting at such special election, "bonus" of the City of Sonoma, for said municipal improvements will be issued for the cost of said improvements. Said bonds shall be of the character known as "Serials," and shall be payable in United States Gold Coin, and in the manner following:

One-fourth part of the whole indebtedness for the purposes aforesaid for which the qualified voters of said city shall accept the proposition to incur an indebtedness, together with the annual interest thereon at the rate of six (6) per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually on all unpaid portions of said indebtedness, shall be payable each and every year on a day and at a place to be hereafter fixed therein by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, until the whole amount of said indebtedness be paid.

For the said acquisition, construction and completion of said permanent public municipal improvements as set forth in Ordinance No. 56, there will be forty (40) bonds of four hundred and fifty dollars each, bearing interest coupons for thirteen and one-half per cent, the tax levy for the 50-100 dollars each. The tax levy for the payment thereof amounts during the full period of forty years to \$10,140.

The place of voting at said special election shall be in the building known as the City Pavilion, situated in the public Plaza in said City of Sonoma, and the officers to conduct the election shall be respectively defined, designated, selected and appointed as follows, to-wit: Judges, L. J. Litzius and A. Bullock; Inspectors, V. Jensen and J. D. Wagner; Ballot Clerks, Jensen and A. Bullock; Tally Clerks, L. Breitenbach and H. C. Lutz. In the event any of the officers above appointed to conduct said election do not

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attend at the opening of the polls on the morning of the election, the electors of the said city present at that hour may appoint or supply any competent person from among themselves to fill the place of such absent member thereof.

All persons qualified by law to vote at municipal elections in Sonoma shall be qualified to vote at said special election. The ballots which shall be used at said special election shall be of the same color, size and form as ballots used by law to be used at municipal elections in said City of Sonoma, except as hereinafter otherwise provided. Each of said ballots shall have printed thereon the following caption or heading, to-wit: "MUNICIPAL TICKET," and shall have printed thereon and under said caption, the following words, to-wit: "Proposition for incurring an indebtedness by the City of Sonoma, to the aggregate amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars for the acquisition, construction and completion by said city of a permanent system of waterworks, including all necessary lands, rights of way, water rights, distributing pipes, leases, contracts for the supplying of water, structures, aqueducts, reservoirs, wells, tanks, machinery for the same, and all other things necessary for the proper use thereof, as set forth in Ordinance No. 56 of said city." Underneath the last foregoing words upon each of said ballots shall be printed the following: "To vote for or against incurring said indebtedness stamp a cross (X) to the right of and against the answer you desire to give." Underneath which shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," to the right of which shall be printed in one square the word "Yes" with a blank square to the right thereof, and immediately below the same there shall be printed in one line the following: "For incurring the indebtedness," to the right of which shall be printed in one square the word "No," with a blank square to the right thereof. Every voter desiring to accept to and accept the said proposition for incurring the said indebtedness set forth herein shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "Yes" printed upon his ballot as aforesaid. And every voter desiring to reject the said proposition of incurring said indebtedness shall in voting at said election stamp a cross (X) in the blank square to the right of the word "No" as aforesaid, such marking or stamping shall only be done with a stamp, which with the necessary pad and ink will be provided for each booth for the purpose, by the Clerk of the City of Sonoma.

By order of the Board of Trustees, ROBERT A. POPPE, City Clerk.

Sonoma, April 6th, 1898.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

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Goods sold cheap this month

Infant's shirts to one year old... 5  
Child's Wool Stockings, 5, 6, 8... 10  
Child's Cotton Stockings, 5, 6, 7... 7  
Infant's Shoes, all colors, to 4... 25  
Men's Sunday Shoes, until gone... 1.25  
Ladies' Sunday Shoes, until gone... 1.25

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Get Rich By Buying right and cheap for Cash. See prices:

Washing Machines, Western new set... \$3.25  
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Everything to eat, use or wear out at the right price. Send for full list free.

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Boys' 2-piece Suits, dark... \$1.25  
Big Boys' 2-piece Suits, wool... 2.75  
Men's Wool Suits, winter weights... 4.50  
Men's Wool Hats, Black Fedoras... 50  
Men's Fine Hats, black, Planter... 1.00  
Men's Leather Gloves, 8, 9, 10... 25  
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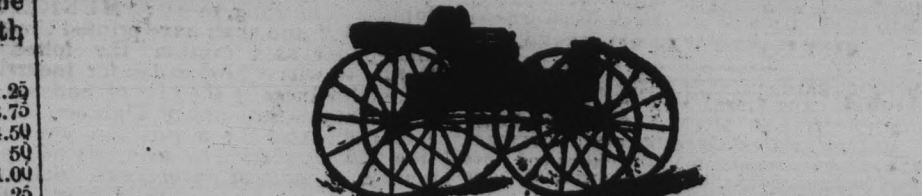
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## NEW BOARD OF CITY TRUSTEES

ASSUMED THEIR DUTIES LAST WEDNESDAY EVENING.

J. H. Seipp Re-Elected President—The Committees.

The Board of City Trustees met in regular semi-monthly session last Wednesday evening. The new members, Dr. Davis, F. T. Duhring and G. S. Harris, took the oath of office and immediately thereafter entered upon the discharge of their duties.

J. H. Seipp was re-elected President of the Board, and after thanking his fellow members for the honor conferred upon him appointed the following committees: Fire and Water—Trustees Duhring and Davis.

Street—Trustees Hartin and Harris.

Plaza and Cemetery—Trustees Davis and Harris.

Finance and Legislation—Trustees Duhring and Hartin.

## AN AMUSING TOWN.

EL VERANO'S LATEST SENSATION.

Mrs. Clara Faithful Sues Her Father, John Worrall—Seeks to Set Aside a Deed Alleged to be a Forgery.

El Verano is an amusing as well as a boom town and even if it is little else than a whistling station and is ruled by a Major Domo of the S. P. Company it keeps up with the procession in so far as the sensational is concerned.

In November, 1897, the aged wife of John Worrall of that place died. At the time of her death Mrs. Worrall possessed valuable property in San Francisco, recorded in her own name. This property, which is an improved corner on Nineteenth and Collingwood streets, is valued at \$20,000. Shortly after Mrs. Worrall's death the Superior Court of that city appointed Mrs. Clara Faithful, widow of the late Chas. Faithful, and daughter of the decedent, administratrix of the estate. Mrs. Faithful had no sooner taken charge of the estate than her father produced a deed to the property in question purporting to have been executed by Mrs. Worrall in his favor prior to her death.

Mrs. Faithful, this week filed a suit against her father in the Superior Court of San Francisco, to set aside the deed, alleging that it is a forgery.

The suit is no doubt the outcome of a marriage license issued to Mr. Worrall, who is an old duffer 60 years of age, to wed Miss Anna E. Kane, a pert miss of 18 summers. The parties to the suit some two years ago sold out their chicken ranch in the amusing town and removed to the metropolis, where they have since resided.

## Association of Congregational Churches.

The semi-annual meeting of the Sonoma Association of Congregational Churches convened in Santa Rosa last Tuesday morning and adjourned Wednesday night. The delegates present from Sonoma were Rev. C. E. Chase, Mrs. Murphy and Miss Florence Murphy. The latter on the opening day read a very creditable paper on "The Officer's Work."

Camm & Hedges, 960 Washington street, Petaluma, dealers in doors, windows, moldings and all kinds of mill work.

## YOUNG PAULI IN DAWSON

CLIMBS THE CHILCOOT PASS.

Sails Over Lake Linderman, Shoots the White Horse Rapids and Gets There—Earning \$10 per Day.

Young Fred. Pauli, son of the late Dr. Pauli, who was born and raised in Sonoma, is now in Dawson City. Accompanied by a companion he left for the Klondike gold fields last summer, arriving at the end of his destination in October. Under date of December 19th, he writes the following letter to his friend Adam Adler of this place. We might here state that the letter was over four months in transit:

DAWSON, N. W. T., Dec. 19, 1897.

DEAR FRIEND:—Knowing that you will expect a few words from me I seize the opportunity of writing you. I was too busy along the trail to find time for letter-writing, and now is the first chance which has presented itself of my doing so.

The entire trip was one of excitement and labor from the time we left the steamer at Dyea until our arrival here, where our troubles are just commenced.

Packing along the trail is a pleasure I begrudge no one, for the roads are so bad in places a man with a pack of 100 pounds feels like sinking on his knees from sheer exhaustion before he has traveled 100 yards, and the danger from slipping on roots and rocks keeps one's head in a whirl while trying to pick the best place where next to set his foot. My partner and I had all our goods packed over the pass, but we found in taking over about thirty pounds apiece that the pass is not near so bad as is represented. It is steep but a person can find good foothold on the rocks except in rainy weather, when one is liable to slip at any step.

On the other side of the pass we had three lakes to cross before we reached Lake Linderman, and we had our goods ferried across, whilst between them we dove most of our own packing. I could easily pack one hundred pounds and could come times go as high as 150, but it was tiresome work and fit only for Indians.

We had bought a cedar knock-down boat at Dyea, which we had packed over to Linderman by Indians and its total cost to us was \$225. In this boat we made our journey down, passing almost every boat which we caught up to. We sailed across three of the lakes flying, but on the fourth we encountered head winds, and here we had to row about fifteen miles. At the end of this lake we entered Lewis river, down which we rowed at the rate of seven miles an hour. Here we passed through the canyon and shot the White Horse rapids, which are considered the most dangerous on the trip, but we found no trouble in going through, shipping about three inches of water in the White Horse. We had to row across Lake Le Barge against the strongest head winds we met with. It took us four days to cross, a distance of 31 miles, and then we found ourselves in the Yukon River. Here we went at the rate of ten miles an hour and the river was so shallow that we had to be on a continual lookout for bars and we struck several, but our boat was fortunately not hurt. We arrived at Dawson on the 8th of October, dodging cakes of ice as big as our boat when we made the landing.

Our goods were damaged a little by water in coming down and we find ourselves short of provisions, with barely enough to see us through to April and as grub is scarce and expensive we may have to go out before next summer.

Food of any nature is selling at the rate of \$1 to \$1.75 a pound and it is so scarce at these figures that hundreds have gone out to avoid starvation.

All new comers are anxious to get out next spring, but it is uncertain whether or not they can all obtain passage and I may be kept in here another year if such is the case.

I do not expect to make a fortune up here but feel sure of going out with a thousand anyway. If you have the fever keep out for this is a rough life. Sinking a shaft is no easy job and it requires a great deal of burning and picking of the ground before one can get to bedrock, which is seldom found at less than seventeen feet of depth.

I am representing a claim for a mill, earning \$10 a day. The job will last between two and three months, after which I do not know what I will do, but I will trust to luck and make the best of it.

Dawson is a dismal place with no life in it. The houses are all

built of logs and most of them are occupied by saloons and gambling joints. The stores have little or nothing to sell. An ax is unobtainable, a pick sells for \$15 while food there will surely be a panic in this district.

Those coming in late next spring will find that they can do nothing but eat up their provisions, for all work will be done by July and prospecting is impossible for the water will fill your shaft.

Well old boy it is time to stop, so I will close. Give my regards to all my friends and with best of love to yourself and mother.

## WHAT IS BEING SAID

Pointers Secured by Our Men Around Town.

That Julius Poppe as a political boss has seen his best days. That he push will have none of them.

That the fool-killer ought to visit this town and get in his work on a late importation from the grasshopper State.

That if the water proposition carries Henry Weyl will tender his artesian well to the city free of charge. That he can afford to do so, as he will save at least \$25 per year on insurance alone.

That R. M. Sims, in contemplation of the Spanish forces visiting Sonoma in case of war with the United States, has placarded his apartments in the Cleve building with a large sign that reads: "No shooting allowed on these premises."

That if Dr. Davis and R. A. Poppe did not spend any money in the saloons that their friends, who were anxious to see them elected, set 'em up very liberally with the boys without the knowledge of those successful candidates.

That the Poppe influence is really the only opposition in this town to a municipal ownership of water works. That Messrs. Weyl, Aguilon and Schocken are satisfied for the city to own and control its own water system, provided it is properly managed.

That if Geo. Breitenbach keeps on persisting in fighting the water proposition on the lines laid down by him eventually every citizen and taxpayer will be a thief and a boodler. That he will be the only honest man left in town capable of managing its affairs.

That this town is safe in the hands of Trustees Davis, Harris, Duhring, Seipp and Hartin. That those that yell boodler are really the only boodlers in our midst. That their records will prove it. That it is a simple case of the thief crying "stop thief," to cover up his own tracks.

That the Broadway mouthpiece of the opponents to a municipal ownership of water works, is a fool. In order to divert attention from the main issue before the people of Sonoma a few weeks ago he yelled cannery after stating the fruit crop was a total failure. Last week he idiotically stated that a sewer system is paramount to water and light in this town. That he ought to go off and hide his diminished head.

## A GRUESOME FIND.

Remains of a Man Discovered Near the Fridger Ranch.

On Saturday last a party of hunters discovered the decomposed remains of a man near the top of a high mountain between the Summit-Joint school house and Jacob Fridger's ranch. A gun and a flask of whisky were found beside the remains, which were identified as those of Peter Peterson, who suddenly disappeared from Rutherford, Napa county, over two years ago. The body was in an advanced stage of decomposition, and so much so that it was impossible to tell how Peterson had come to his death. He had evidently sought out the lonely and isolated spot where the remains were found and deliberately committed suicide.

## Road Improvement.

The county road leading from the Edwin Lord place to the Embarradero, Landing is being graded and graveled by Messrs. Jo. Anderson and Chris Wise, who secured the contract from the county. Capt. J. P. Hauto of the schooner "Four Sisters" contributed \$100 out of his own pocket to assist the county in making an improvement that is really a public necessity. When completed the road will be high and dry and passable at all seasons of the year.

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Geo. Bulotti visited his parents last Sunday.

Morris Newall of this valley was in Petaluma Tuesday.

Dr. A. McLaughlin was up from the metropolis Tuesday.

J. P. Weems attended to business in San Francisco on Monday last.

Deputy Sheriff Chas. Ohm visited Petaluma Tuesday on official business.

Mr. F. Bulotti of San Francisco visited his cousin, V. Bulotti, last Sunday.

Frank Weems returned to Sonoma from Arizona last Monday evening.

M. Kahn of Petaluma visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emparan last Sunday.

Geo. Hooper of San Francisco was the guest of G. S. Harris and family last Sunday.

Henry Kinney returned Monday evening from a brief visit with relatives in Oakland.

Jas. Carr came up from Tiburon last Sunday and spent several days at the Chase stock farm.

Miss Mabel Sellers is home from Santa Rosa, where she recently graduated from the business college.

Louis Wasser, proprietor of the Brooklyn Hotel, Petaluma, visited Sonoma Valley friends last Tuesday.

Ed. Gise came over last Tuesday from Benicia to visit his family, who are sojourning here for a few weeks.

Ex-City Trustee Modini is having a new floor laid in the dining room and office of the Garibaldi House.

J. E. Poppe leaves next Tuesday for Nevada City, where he goes as a delegate to the Grand Parlor, N. S. G. W.

Mrs. Pauline McMullen returned Sunday to her home in Santa Rosa, after spending a few days with her mother.

Mrs. R. M. Lee, after an absence of over two years in New York, returned to her old Sonoma home last Monday evening.

Adolph Lutgens, a well-known architect of San Francisco and a brother of Henry Lutgens of this place, is here for a few days' outing.

Mrs. R. E. Whitefield, who was the guest of her brother, H. C. Lutgens, last week, returned to her home in San Francisco last Saturday.

Frank Burris, Peter Keil and Gus Cornelius have gone for an outing through Lake and Mendocino counties. They will be absent several weeks.

Wm. Glynn, who is a fireman on the dredger L. E. Cross, which is working near Bethney, San Joaquin county, visited his mother in this place last Sunday.

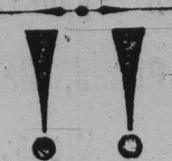
B. P. Norris, the contractor and builder, returned last Tuesday evening from Jamestown, Tuolumne county, where he was engaged several months in erecting buildings.

Carl Ludeman of San Mateo county visited Sonoma last Saturday. Mr. Ludeman's stay was a short one and in consequence he was enabled to see but few of his old friends.

Lee Luttrell, well-known to the residents of Sonoma Valley and who is now a guard at Folsom prison, shot and fatally wounded a prisoner who was endeavoring to make his escape on Friday of last week.

Capt. Peter Hein, the popular drawbridge tender, was in town last Tuesday calling on his many friends. Mr. Hein has been confined indoors for some time past with a severe attack of rheumatism and was able to leave his home for the first time Tuesday.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Carl Ludeman and Miss Emelie Horstmann. The wedding will take place at the Church of the Advent in San Francisco in July. Mr. Ludeman was formerly a resident of Sonoma and is remembered as a pleasant and cultured gentleman. His fiancée is a pretty blonde, who resides with her mother in San Francisco.



Beware of "cheap" baking powders. Alum makes good medicine but bad food. Ask your doctor.

Henry Martens of Glen Ellen was in town Wednesday.

Adam Adler has been quite ill several days the past week.

Clarence McHarvey of Delano, Kern county, visited his old Sonoma home last Thursday.

Public Administrator Young was in town Sunday on business connected with the Hosate estate.

Frank Young, well-known in this place, is now shoeing horses at the Presidio, San Francisco, for Uncle Sam.

Thos. H. Nichols, representing Wichman, Lutgen & Co., importers and wholesale dealers in wines and liquors, San Francisco, was in town Wednesday.

Rev. C. E. Chase, pastor of the Congregational Church at this place, has been elected a delegate to the National Congregational Church Council, which meets at Portland, Oregon.

At the meeting of the Methodist Literary Society last Saturday evening Geo. Smith gave an instructive talk on Guatemala and the missionary work carried on there. Mr. Smith was a resident of Guatemala for several years.

Arthur B. Schell, having volunteered in the United States militia and expecting orders to leave for Chicamauga at any time, he and his affianced, Miss Lola Harashty, have decided to announce their engagement. Mr. Schell belongs to one of the oldest and most prominent Sonoma Valley families. He was educated abroad and has traveled extensively. Miss Harashty is the granddaughter of the late Gen. M. G. Vallejo. She is a beautiful girl with clear, dark complexion, large expressive eyes and wavy brown hair.

Glen Ellen Camping Grounds Free to Visitors.

Henry Martens and N. R. Hansen of Glen Ellen were in town Wednesday. They state that Mr. J. Chauvet of their enterprising town has extended an invitation to the general public to camp anywhere in the near vicinity during the coming summer. There is no more beautiful camping place in California than the banks of Sonoma Creek at Glen Ellen, and being accessible to the metropolis by two railway lines "no doubt hundreds of people will select that place for their outing this season."

American Securities Abroad.

The sales of American securities have been, according to London advices, large abroad of late. If this state of things holds, there will be an increasing influx of British gold into this market. This demonstrates the faith abroad in the stability of our credit. There is another point of faith for which the people not only of this but foreign countries have good grounds for credence, and that is belief in the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for indigestion, biliousness, constipation and rheumatism are conquered by it. It has a tonic and invigorating effect, and diffuses a generous warmth and sensation of physical comfort throughout the system.

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Ralph Morris of Petaluma, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morris of Agua Caliente, has showed his patriotism by joining the State Militia.

Dr. D. G. Atwood has had his American spirit aroused by the difficulties between the United States and Spain and intends being Sonoma's representative in the militia.

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Men's Stanley Shirts, 50c each.  
Men's good heavy work Gloves, 15c and 25c pr. pr.  
Men's Blue Bib Overalls, heavy riveted, 50c pr. pr.  
Boys' Brown or Blue Bib Overalls, 25c pr. pr.  
Children's Dresses, ready made, 25c to 75c.  
Ecru stripe Curtain Scrims, 5c yd.  
Fish Net in white, only for cash curtains, 20c yd.  
Ladies' fine Rib, White or Ecru Vests, 12c each.  
Ladies' 2-clasp Walking Gloves, extra value, \$1.00 pr.  
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SONOMA, SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 1898.

A DEAD CARNATION.

Leonard Contemplates the Contents of a Desk Drawer.

The desk drawer, opened, exhaled an odor of faded flowers.

"Let us plunge into the atmosphere of sweet memories," said Leonard.

Wife absent, Leonard, addressing Bayard, his most intimate friend, indicated withered blossoms.

"This lily," said Leonard, sighing, "was the flower given me by Blanche, my first love, when I look from her lips a timid kiss."

"Ah, that was later!" said Leonard, with a burst of laughter.

Bayard discovered a bunch of faded violets.

"And these?" he interrogated.

"They were the flowers," murmured Leonard sadly, "which Etienne gave me when I had treated her brutally, he lying that she had deceived me."

"Why do you destroy?" questioned Bayard.

"Because it is the carnation Emilia gave me when she said she would be my wife," said Leonard, cynically.

"The next day I asked him if he had caught the kid, and he said:

"I did. He and some chums were having a good time of it, and more than that, all of them were in the same business."

"But," said the cigar dealer, "they are too sharp to get caught. They only work one man at a time, and none of the gang ever goes back again. They keep a list, and I expect an examination will show that they have been to every store in that whole neighborhood."

"Why, how do you do, Mrs. Blank?" Mrs. Blank ignored the proffered hand, and, glancing herself up stiffly, said rigidly:

"I do not think that I know you, madam."

"No, I s'pose not," replied the woman, in nowise embarrassed by the coldness of her reception.

"Diggs—I just finished reading an account of how they burned heretics at the stake in ancient times. Such barbarism would not be tolerated in this enlightened age."

THE WATER LILY.

Almost everybody has observed the strange characteristic of the water lily bud opening its petals at sunrise and closing them again at sunset.

"It is reported that in the Euphrates the flower of the lotus plunges into the water at night, remaining there all night, and to such a depth that it cannot be reached with the hand."

After midnight it begins gradually to rise, and as the sun rises above the horizon the flower also rises above the water, expands and raises itself some distance above the element in which it grows."

It was also through this peculiarity that Hagarville proved that the Egyptians considered the lily an emblem of the world as it rose from the waters of the deep.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

An Epitaph of Pope's. The following epitaph was highly commended by Johnson. It was written to keep alive the memory of Elizabeth Corbett, who sleeps now in St. Margaret's, Westminster:

Here rests a woman, good without pretence, Blessed with plain reason and with simple sense; No conquest she but o'er herself desired; No arts essayed, but only to be admired. Fashion and pride were to her soul unknown; Convinced that virtue only is her own; Unaffected, so composed a mind, So firm, yet soft; so strong, yet kind. Heaven and earth were to her soul unknown; The saint sustained it, but the woman died.

Explained. "I know he does not mean it. He says in his letter that everything has seemed dark as night since I went away."

"He may be telling the truth. You know love is blind."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Uncalled For Bank Deposits. Massachusetts has a righteous law which commands all banks and banking institutions to every five years advertise all funds held in bank and unclaimed during 20 years.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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POLLOCK!

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DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE: POLLOCK is a beautiful dapple brown, with black points, ratch on forehead; is 18 hands high and weighs 1600 pounds; very symmetrical in form and is the Champion Walker, winning first prize two years in succession, making the fastest mile ever made with one ton of weight and driver on record.

STALLION GLYDEBOY.

Will be three years old May, 1898. He stands 16 1/2 hands high and weighs about 1500 pounds; will weigh 1800 when matured. He is also a perfect colt in every way and will prove himself a good breeder and a sure foal-getter. He is a fine dapple bay in color, with no white, but star in forehead, and has a fine disposition and splendid action.

PEDIGREE—Glydeboy won first prize at the State Fair, Sacramento, in 1895, as best suckling and first prize in 1896 as best yearling, and again first prize as best two-year-old in 1897.

For further particulars see or address the owner and manager.

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A Fairy Godfather.

Jan. 17 was fairy godfather's day at the Baker Chocolate works in Milton, Mass. On that evening was distributed the \$48,000 left by the will of the late Henry L. Pierce to the employees of the business of which he was manager.

Two hundred and forty-five men and 185 women met the officers of the corporation in a large room in one of the mills, and after a supper and some discourse from Mr. Pierce's executor each received a check for \$100. The oldest employee received a special legacy of \$2,000. It is not recalled that there was ever a testator whose testamentary provisions gave more acute satisfaction to more of his personal acquaintances than those of Mr. Pierce. There has been no audible grumbling about his will. He did everything that was expected of him and a great deal that was not expected, surprising very many people and disappointing none—unless possibly some members of one of the learned professions, for as yet there has been no list of a lawsuit over his will. The will ran over with miscellaneous kindness and benevolence.

Mr. Pierce ought to have kept a school for testators whose purposes were philanthropic. If Stephen Girard, A. T. Stewart, Samuel Tilden and Daniel B. Fayerweather could have sat under his instructions while, the memory of all of them would be sweeter, and the general public would be a gainer by a good many millions of useful money. Is there not some one living who has had experience of wills and is competent, by disposition and knowledge, to open such a place for the instruction of testators? Might not Mr. Carnegie undertake it or Mr. Pierpont Morgan?—Harper's Weekly.

The Leaky Missouri River. F. B. Spearman writes of "Queer American Rivers" in St. Nicholas. Mr. Spearman says:

With all its other eccentricities, the Missouri river leaks badly, for there are many leaky rivers as well as leaky boats. The government engineers once measured the flow of the Missouri away up in Montana and again some hundred miles farther down stream. To their surprise they found that the Missouri, instead of growing bigger down stream, as every rational river should, was actually 20,000 second feet smaller at the lower point.

Now who 20,000 second feet could be spared from such a tremendous river that amount of water makes a considerable stream of itself. Many very celebrated rivers never had so much water in their lives; hence there was great amazement when the discrepancy was discovered. But of late years Dakota farmers away to the south and east of those points on the Missouri, sinking artesian wells, found immense volumes of water where the geologists said there wouldn't be any. So it is believed that the farmers have tapped the water leaking from that big hole in the Missouri river away up in Montana, and from these wells they irrigate large tracts of land, and naturally they don't want the river bed mended. Fancy what a blessing it is when the weather is dry to have a river boiling out of your well, ready to flow when you want it over the vineyards! For of all manner of work that a river can be put to irrigation is, I think, the most useful. But isn't that a queer way for the Missouri to wander about underneath the ground?

The Bishop and the Cabby. The Irish Ecclesiastical Journal tells this story: "Last week an Irish bishop was driving home to his hotel in the city from a solemnizing of Dublin, with a lady and one of the junior clergy as his escort. It was late at night, dark, windy and rainy, and the cabman drove away merrily, but after some peculiar turnings and ten minutes' driving the cab was returning whence it had started. The wherefore was evident, as the cabby was drunk. However, home had to be reached, and his lordship, a man of action, jumped out of the cab, mounted the box and drove at a good round pace into town. On reaching his destination the right reverend prelate said he thought he ought to be paid, a sentiment in which the cabby acquiesced with the utmost good humor, but pocketed his fare notwithstanding. To be driven home by a bishop on a cab, 'adds piquancy to the lot of many curates, and is surely worth recording."

She Won. "Mary," said Mr. Thomas when a silence fraught with unpleasant meaning had followed his first altercation with his young wife.

"Yes," said Mary interrogatively.

"When a man and his wife have had a difference," said Mr. Thomas, with a judicial air, "and each considers the other at fault, which of the two do you think should make the first advance toward reconciliation?"

"The wiser of the two," said Mrs. Thomas promptly, "and so, my dear, I'll say at once that I'm very sorry."

It occurred to Mr. Thomas that it might have been well for him to make the first advance, after all, but he thoughtfully refrained from saying so.

Where to Find It. Two sons of Eryn shared the same bed as well as the same bottle of whisky. Pat waited till he found Mike slept, when he quietly arose and emptied the bottle. Soon after Mike, waking, stole out of bed and groping about in the dark, was asked by his companion:

"Phwat are yez lookin fer, Mike?"

"Oh, nothin'," says Mike.

"Well, Mike," says Pat, "ye'll find it over there in the corner in the bottle."—Chicago News.

The Reason. Ethel—Isn't it strange that Flossie attracts such intellectual men? Maud—Oh, no! She told me she always planned her gown when they talk to her, and that gives her face that interested expression.—Harper's Bazar.

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